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Dear Sirs:

I am writing to comment on the Amendment of Part 97 of the Commission's Rules to Implement WRC-03 Regulations Applicable to Requirements for Operator Licenses in the Amateur Radio Service designated in late August, 2005, WT Docket No. 05-235 although it may have changed after being published in the Federal Register.

I believe that the Morse Code or continuous wave (cw) 5 words per minute requirement for a General Class or Amateur Extra Class Licensee should be kept. There are times, even now, where Morse Code (cw) is the only radio communications to get through the atmosphere, and contact other people. In spite of the low rate (5wpm), if accurate and well sent, it is a pleasure to use, both receiving or sending. Please, losing the requirement to learn Morse Code is just a step away from losing the frequencies to practice our radiotelegraphy skills and meet people over the airwaves also attracted to our craft.

I sincerely hope that my opinion will reach the correct people who will, for the long run, agree with me and keep this requirement.

Thank you. List A B C D E

Sincerely,
Irene Kubica (Mrs. Mike K.)